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BRYAN IS MAGNET AT THIS SESSION

Nebraskans Appearance on Platform at Chicago Convention Caused Great Tumult

By Associated Press
Chicago, Ill., Oct. 8.—The second session of the Lakes to the Gulf Deep Waterways association was attended today, by a great and as enthusiastic audience as listened to Mr. Taft on the opening day. Mr. Bryan was the magnet of the second session and his appearance on the platform and his introduction by David R. Frances of St. Louis, was the signal for a tumult that forced the democratic candidate to bow repeatedly and to wait many minutes before delivering the first sentence of his speech.

LAFOLLETTE WILL START PUBLICATION

Paper to Support Government by The People—To discuss Men And Measures Impartially

By Associated Press
Madison Wis., Oct. 8.—Robert M. LaFollette United States senator today announced that he would soon start a weekly publication "Published primarily in support of a government by people." It is expected that this publication will be similar to "The Commoner" but the name has not been announced. The senator says, "I shall print the records of public officials and their political attitude on all vital questions and will discuss men and measures impartially. I shall also give the news and a digest of the proceedings in Congress. Mrs. LaFollette will have charge of the educational and woman's department."

BALKAN TROUBLE MAY BE AVERTED

France Would Call Conference of Powers Bound By Berlin Treaty—Minister Hold Long Session

By Associated Press
Constantinople, Oct. 6.—The council of the ministers held a long session this morning to consider the action of Bulgaria in declaring her independence of Turkey, yesterday. It was decided impossible to accept any proceedings that violated any of the existing treaties with other European powers and that Turkey should address a circular note to the powers pointing out the necessity of taking immediate measures to enforce respect for the treaty of Berlin.

Paris, Oct. 9.—The hope that hostilities may be avoided in the Balkans is growing in Paris. France believes in the necessity of a new conference of the signatory of the Berlin treaty for the purpose of clearing up the situation. If this plan is approved France will be in accord with Great Britain, and Russia will abstain from recognizing the independence of Bulgaria and the seizure of Bosnia and Herzegovina by Austria-Hungary. This virtually will amount to backing up Turkey's protest and by saving the self respect of Porte will act as a calming and restraining influence.

GOVERNOR HUGHES ON BRYAN'S INDUSTRIAL POLICY

By Associated Press
Lincoln, Neb., Oct. 7.—"Is it possible that Bryan can know anything of the principles of business? Under the Captain Governor Hughes of New York in Bryan's home city this morning attacked the industrial and labor policies of the democratic presidential nominee. Governor Hughes was greeted at the station by a large concourse of people and escorted amid an enthusiastic demonstration to the opera house. Leaving here Mr. Hughes is scheduled for fourteen addresses in Nebraska today."

CHICAGO WINNERIN NATIONAL LEAGUE RACE

New York, Oct. 8.—Chicago defeated New York here this afternoon and won the pennant in the National League. An enormous crowd filled the polo grounds to witness this final struggle of the Giants and Cubs. The score was Chicago 4, New York 2.

JUST ONE WEEK TILL QUAIL TIME

Open Season on Quail in Oklahoma Begins on Next Thursday—A Large Crop

One more week can the festive quail flutter out of the grass and sail away undisturbed as the sorrowful man watches and longs for his gun. One more week and Oklahoma sportsmen can go afield and satisfy the desire to once more watch his dog route out the game birds, once more will his eye glance along the shining barrels of his gun and once more will he rejoice as he sees the object of his hunt, at the report of his gun, suddenly fold its wings and drop to the ground, to be brought later by the ever faithful retriever to his master's feet. One week from today will begin the open season on quail in Oklahoma, and local sportsmen are anxiously awaiting the expiration of the closed season. Everywhere the talk of dogs and guns is in the air. Nearly every day some man is seen carrying a new gun home with him, in preparation of the fall sport.

The baseball season is over, the fishing season is dying and the only thing left for the sportsman now is the coming quail season. Some few ducks are said to be coming in, but it will be a month yet before duck shooting will be worth while. In the meantime the quail crop is said to be larger this year than ever has been known here before. Several coveys have already been spotted and will no doubt suffer greatly on next Thursday.

FARMERS UNION ADVOCATES SALE

Will Petition Congress to Sell Surface of The Segregated Coal And Asphalt Lands in Oklahoma

Coalgate, Okla., Oct. 6.—The Farmers Union of Coal county, meeting here, passed resolutions concerning the disposal of the surface of the segregated coal and asphalt lands in the Choctaw and Chickasaw nations. A memorial was drawn and will be presented to congress at the next session of that body. The farmers want the lands sold in tracts of not less than 160 acres, to actual settlers, and in the same manner as town lots were sold in the Indian territory. The memorial reads:

"For the reason that the sale of the surface separate and apart from the mineral, will produce the best price for the Indian owners, and furnish funds for the immediate distribution among the Choctaw and Chickasaw Indians, who are in pressing need of funds to improve their allotments; and further that this sale to actual settlers will furnish homes to a thrifty class of farmers who will aid in the material and moral development of the state of Oklahoma, and for the further reason that this vast area of nearly 500,000 acres of untaxed land will become revenue bearing and aid the thirty-four cities and towns in the segregated coal and asphalt belt in maintaining county government, supporting schools and improving roads, which, under present conditions, will require such expensive taxation as to become burdensome."

"We firmly believe that the immediate sale of these lands will vastly enhance the prosperity of all the allottees, by bringing them in contact with the industrious, intelligent neighbors who will aid them in their moral and material development."

"Resolved, that the Hon. Chas. D. Carter, our congressman, be requested to present this memorial to congress of the United States, and a copy be sent to our United States senators."

TEXAS MOB HANGS NEGRO IN CITY PARK

By Associated Press
El Paso, Tex., Oct. 6.—A mob early today took Ben Price, a negro from the jail at Grandfork, Tex., and hanged him to a tree in the City Park. The negro was charged with having criminally assaulted his own daughter.

PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES GUESTS AT SAME BANQUET

Wm. J. Bryan and Wm. H. Taft Shake Hands at Banquet of Chicago Association of Commerce--For Once Candidates are Recipients of Equal Praise--"What's the Matter With Bill" Shouts Crowd.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 8.—William J. Bryan and William H. Taft, rival candidates for the presidency of the United States, met at the annual banquet of the Chicago Association of Commerce. Bryan, having been in Chicago all day, was the first to arrive. Taft having delivered a speech at the opening of the Deep Waterway Convention in the forenoon, went to Galesburg and delivered another address during the afternoon and returned to Chicago last night after the banquet was well under way.

Intense interest in the meeting has been manifested ever since it first became known that the two candidates were to meet in public, and every seat in the three banquet halls at the auditorium, thrown together for the occasion, was occupied, save only a commodious chair reserved for Mr. Taft.

An ear-splitting shout gave warning of the arrival of Taft. Bryan, in common with every one else, arose and took a step toward the entrance. Taft's huge frame, moving like a ship amongst a swarm of tags, came slowly up the narrow aisle between two tables. Those at a distance occasionally could catch a glimpse of his smiling face, acknowledging greetings. Mr. Bryan turned his head slowly as his political rival drew near, smiling slightly. The dramatic moment which had been

anticipated with such deep interest was soon over. Bryan's hand awaited that of Taft. A slightly lingering pressure, a word or so which none could overhear, because of the tumult, and the republican leader passed on to his chair at the right of President Hall.

The cheering continued for a minute or so after those at the speaker's table had taken their seats. At the first moment the noise subsided, Bryan, leaning to one side and smiling broadly, asked Taft if he "had a good day."

This display of friendliness on the part of the two candidates stirred the crowd to renewed cheering, and words being useless in the din, Taft stroked his throat for answer. Then Taft laughed and the applause increased.

"What's the matter with Bill?" cried some one in stentorian tones.

"He's all right!"

"Who's all right?"

"Bill's all right."

It took music by the orchestra and a song by the guests to restore a semblance of quiet. When talking in ordinary tones became impossible, the two candidates entered into an animated conversation in which President Hall joined. The speeches by both Mr. Taft and Mr. Bryan were not partisan.

VINITA FARMER GROUND TO DEATH BY TRAIN

Mangled Remains of S. L. Lane Found on Katy Tracks Near Stock Yards---Head Cut Open---Body Severed at Abdomen---Crashed Beyond Recognition---Last Seen Alive on the Streets Here Monday Night.

The cut and mangled body of S. L. Lane, a farmer who lived near Miles was found this morning by Sheriff Ridenhour and Undertaker Lewis Rogers, on the Katy track about a mile north of town. The remains of the dead man were gathered up and brought here for a coroners inquest, which began at two o'clock this afternoon.

The engineer of the Katy flyer due here at 9:43 this morning first notified H. A. Farthing, station agent, of seeing the body. Mr. Farthing immediately notified the sheriff, who with Lewis Rogers went out to look for the body. When they found the object of their search, it was a sight to cause the blood of these men, who are accustomed to the unpleasantness of seeing dead bodies, to run cold. The man had evidently been run over by a train from both directions. The body was cut entirely in two across the abdomen, the head was cut open and the brains scattered over the cross ties, one leg was cut off and one arm and hand was crushed. So badly mangled was the body that identification of his features was an impossibility. Upon the body of the man, however papers were found that disclosed his identity beyond a doubt. The belongings of the deceased were taken care of by the sheriff and will be turned over to the family of the deceased, upon their arrival here this evening. As soon as the identity of the deceased was established, a message was sent to Miles to notify the family of the terrible accident, if that is what it may be termed.

How the man came to be there, whether he had attempted to leave town on a train and had fallen beneath the wheels, whether he had started to walk home and had been run down by a train, or whether Lane's death was the result of foul play is yet uncertain. Mr. Lane was last seen alive in this city last night about 11 o'clock, and his friends thought he had gone to bed, until the news of his awful death became known here this morning.

Rev. G. J. Donnell returned from Guthrie last night where he had been attending the Presbyterian Synod.

JUMBO STORE SOON TO CHANGE MANAGEMENT

A change in management of one of the largest mercantile houses in Vinita is soon to be announced. The Jumbo store has been sold by W. T. and Sank Wade to E. L. Orr and J. H. Wimer. The transfer has not been made yet, but will be made in a few days. The Wade brothers have established a splendid business here, and the new owners of the Jumbo are buying one of Vinita's best businesses.

MANY PASSENGERS HURT IN ROCK ISLAND WRECK

By Associated Press
Oklahoma City, Okla., Oct. 8.—A Rock Island train of seven coaches, crowded with passengers for the state fair, was partly derailed at Yukon, seven miles west of here today noon when a freight train pulling in on a siding struck it. The passenger train was stationary. A score of passengers were slightly hurt, Miss Stella Lee, of El Reno, was seriously injured. Four coaches were overturned.

AMERICAN-CHINESE TREATY SIGNED TODAY

By Associated Press.
Washington, D. C., Oct. 8.—The proposed arbitration treaty between China and the United States was signed at the state department here today with Wu-Ting-Fang, the Chinese minister, acting on behalf of the Chinese Government and Secretary Elihu Root in behalf of the American Government.

COUNCIL IS BOARD OF EQUALIZATION

Assessment of Benefits of New Pavement Occupies Attention of Aldermen Last Night

The city council met in regular session last night. All the members were in their seats except Taylor and Wade. The usual list of appropriations were made on the report of the finance committee. A new ordinance providing for the extension of the electric light system was passed.

The matter of assessing the benefits of the newly paved district occupied the attention of the council the major portion of the evening. The city council under the present law sits as a board of equalization and fixes the assessments.

A committee was instructed to make a contract with J. C. Gray and Ben Funk for the extension of second street to the cemetery at the price of \$75. The road is to be properly graded and put in a passable condition.

The proposition to put an occupation tax on butcher shops failed.

The contract for the construction of a sanitary sewer on the south side was let to L. D. Dalquest his being the lowest and only bid submitted.

The use of the streets for the Farmers Institute Stock and Agricultural Show here on the 20 and 21 inst was granted.

The council also made a contract with Slater McClure for numbering the houses and placing posts at the intersection of streets giving the names of the streets. This work is to be completed in sixty days.

Elated Over His Success

A. L. Churchill is quite elated over the showing his Houdan chickens made at the Oklahoma state fair. While he took only the second prize on the cock, this fine bird was sent right from the pen without any preparation. The cockerel which was awarded third prize was grown in Vinita by Mr. Churchill.

COMMITTEE WILL NOW GET TO WORK

Commercial Club Selects Men to Push the Farmers Institute Meeting to be Held October 20-21

The following committees from the Commercial club were appointed last night to act in conjunction with the farmers' committee to insure the success of the Farmers Institute to be held in Vinita October 21 and 22. It is expected that every member of the following committees will get to work with a will to make this event a grand success. All members of committees will meet at the Commercial Club rooms Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Finance committee—S. E. Wallen, F. M. Smith, Frank Burckhalter.

Stock Show—J. W. Orr, A. L. Churchill, Frank Burckhalter.

Agricultural committee—L. W. Houk, Geo. Kapp, L. D. Dalquest, Lee Webb.

Athletics—Prof. Masterson, A. F. King, Lewis Rogers, B. A. McFarland.

Advertising—C. E. Lahman, George E. Harris, D. M. Marrs.

Poultry Show—Dr. C. W. Day, H. H. Harris, Lewis Rogers.

Concessions and Amusements—J. H. Butler, E. H. Ford, T. C. Holland, B. A. McFarland.

Ladies' Exhibits—Fancy work, cooking, etc.—Civic Club.

GOVERNOR HUGHES AT TOPEKA AND WICHITA

By Associated Press
St. Joseph, Mo., Oct. 8.—Governor Chas. E. Hughes of New York arrived here this morning from Hastings, Neb., and spoke before a large audience at the opera house. He left here to speak at Topeka, Kansas, today and Wichita tonight.

SENATOR GORE ROYALLY RECEIVED

Great Throng Gather at Station and Demand a Speech From Oklahoma's Noted Orator

From Wednesday's Daily
Senator Thomas Pryor Gore, of Lawton, arrived in Vinita last night on the Frisco due here at 6:48 and was given a rousing reception by the citizens of Vinita, who gathered at the station to greet the blind orator, of whom all Oklahoma and the southwest is proud. The east bound Frisco was late and necessitated a delay of the senator's train and in response to a demand of the crowd, Mr. Gore mounted a truck and talked, while the trains were switching. Senator Gore has just been on a tour of the United States, the last few weeks of which have been spent in the west campaigning for Wm. J. Bryan, and this was the first stop upon his return to his own state.

In beginning his short address, Mr. Gore paid a glowing tribute to Oklahoma, which shows the deep pride and patriotic feeling he has for his state, and it is this feeling that ever asserts itself in his work in the United States senate and in his home life and that has endeared the blind orator to the people of Oklahoma. The Senator arraigned the republican party for failing, in eleven years of uninterrupted control of the government, to do what it now "promises" to do if the people will again entrust it with the reins of government. He discussed briefly the attitude of the republican party toward the publicity of campaign contributions, and compared that attitude to that of the democratic party whose platform declares for the publication of all campaign contributions. He took the president to task for asserting that the people might misconstrue the intention of Harriman in giving \$260,000 to aid in the election of a republican president, if that donation had been published before the election. He said that if these contributions were published the people did not need to be told whose interests would be best served by the election of the candidate for whom these contributions were made. He pointed out the fact that Bryan had issued a statement, three days before the Denver convention, in which he stated that he would not accept the nomination for president, unless the party placed a plank in the platform favoring the publicity of campaign contributions.

Senator Gore also discussed the panics and financial stringencies that have come upon this country in recent years. He demonstrated the fact that six of the eleven panics had come under republican high tariff rule, and that the seventh had come just two months after the republicans had gone out of power, and showed that the high tariff republican administration was the direct cause of that panic.

Senator Gore then made a few remarks in behalf of the candidacy of E. N. Ratcliff for representative in the state legislature from Craig county. He told the people to not forget that the only way to return him to the United States senate over Dennis Flynn was to assure a democratic majority in the state legislature.

As Mr. Gore was on his way to Tulsa, where he spoke last night, he had only a short time to speak here, but his brief remarks met the approval of the large crowd, and upon his conclusion a cheer rent the air that was sufficient to give the senator a knowledge of the high esteem in which he is held here.

Home Missionary Meeting
The Home Mission Society of the Methodist church held its monthly meeting with Mrs. Lee Barrett. There was a large attendance and the meeting was full of interest throughout. It was decided to hold a rummage sale during the first week of November and on election day dinner will be served down town. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Frank Billingslea.

COMMERCIAL CONGRESS MEETS AT SAN FRANCISCO

By Associated Press
San Francisco, Calif., Oct. 6.—The nine tenth Trans-Mississippi Commercial congress, with a thousand or more delegates from the western half of the United States attending, all of them men of high position in the business world, began a five days, deliberation here today.

Temporary Chairman J. B. Case, of Abeline, Kans., called the delegates to order. Among the delegates are representatives of eighteen states, four territories and six foreign countries.